Workshop 4 Aromatic, or Not?

1. For each of the following molecules, circle whether the molecule is aromatic, antiaromatic, or neither.

AROMATIC

ANTI-AROMATIC

NEITHER

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AROMATIC

ANTI-AROMATIC

NEITHER

AROMATIC

ANTI-AROMATIC

NEITHER

CH₃
N
CH₃

AROMATIC

ANTI-AROMATIC

NEITHER

AROMATIC

ANTI-AROMATIC

NEITHER

 H_3C N-H N N N

AROMATIC

ANTI-AROMATIC

NEITHER

AROMATIC

ANTI-AROMATIC

NEITHER

CH₂

AROMATIC

ANTI-AROMATIC

NEITHER

2. One of the molecules on the right will react with aqueous HBr just one way, to yield one product, selectively. The other will react with one molecule of aqueous HBr in a variety of ways, to yield a variety of products. Which molecule has which reactivity pattern, and what HBr adducts would you expect from each?

